

REMARKS

The Office Action requires election of species from the following: Figures 1, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, and 42.

Applicants elect the subject matter of Figure 1.

Claims 1, 2, 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18 are readable on the elected subject matter.

The present application is a National Stage PCT Application filed under 35 USC §371. Accordingly, election of an invention is not required where a unity of invention exists among the claims. PCT Rules 13.1 and 13.2 are to be followed in making a unity of invention determination. Restriction practice under 35 USC §121 has been applied instead of PCT Rules 13.1 and 13.2. Accordingly, the restriction requirement is respectfully traversed. If the Examiner continues to make a restriction requirement, it is respectfully requested that the Examiner specifically demonstrate a lack of unity of invention under PCT Rules 13.1 and 13.2.

In view of the above, reconsideration and withdrawal of the restriction requirement are respectfully requested.

Applicant respectfully requests a one month extension of time for responding to the Office Action. **The fee of \$120.00 for the extension is**

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In light of the foregoing, the application is now believed to be in proper form for allowance of all claims and notice to that effect is earnestly solicited.

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